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SUBJECT: RESPONSE TO PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE

REF: STATE 85388

1. GOSL OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT HAS REQUESTED EMBASSY TO TRANSMIT FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT STEVENS TO PRESIDENT FORD IN RESPONSE TO PRESIDENT FORD'S MESSAGE OF CONGRATULATIONS ON OCCASION SL REPUBLIC DAY (REFTEL):

2. QUOTE DEAR MR. PRESIDENT,
YOU AMBASSADOR, DR. MICHAEL A. SAMUELS, HAS CONVEYED TO ME YOUR KIND MESSAGE OF CONGRATULATIONS AND BEST WISHES ON THE OCCASION OF THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE REPUBLIC OF SIERRA LEONE. ON BEHALF OF THE GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF THIS COUNTRY I WISH TO THANK YOU MOST SINCERELY FOR THE MESSAGE. HIGHEST CONSIDERATION. SIACA STEVENS
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SAMUELS

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